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# News Release

## **HPD Makes Four Arrests from Weekend Robbery**

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The Harrisonburg Police Department has arrested four males in connection to a weekend robbery.

On Jan. 31, around 1:45 a.m. a male reported that he was assaulted and robbed of his cell phone by several unknown males. The incident happened in the 1000 block of Woodbury Circle. The victim sustained minor injuries.

As officers responded to the incident, four males fled on foot on Meadowlark Drive. HPD officers followed them and were able to safely detain all four individuals.

A 17-year-old, two 16-year-olds, and a 15-year-old were all charged with robbery, assault by mob, and conspiracy to commit a felony.

"The quick actions of the victim and the responding officers directly resulted with these four individuals being arrested," said Mary-Hope Vass, HPD's Public Information Officer and Crime Analyst.